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Delta Stewardship Council posts its 2016 Annual Report

Delta Stewardship Council (Council) has posted its 2016 Annual Report. The report, titled In Pursuit of Progress toward a Resilient Delta, highlights the Council's work and the activities of its sister agencies whose combined efforts further the Delta Plan and the State's coequal goals of water supply reliability and Delta ecosystem restoration.

CVFPB will hold two public hearings on CVFPP update

The Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB) will hold two public hearings, February 9 in Marysville and February 16 in Merced, on the 2017 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan (CVFPP) draft update and draft Supplemental Program Environmental Impact Report. Public meeting notices include agenda, location, driving directions, and hearing times. Both drafts and how to submit comments are here.

Draft WAFR report and appendices are posted for public comment

DWR has posted the draft *Water Available for Replenishment* (WAFR) report and draft accompanying appendices, which are now available for public comment. This report presents DWR's best estimate, based on available information, of water available for replenishment of groundwater in the state. Public comments received by March 10 will be considered for the final report that will be published later this year. Both documents and how to submit comments are here.

MWD Special Committee on Bay-Delta meeting agenda and recorded video are posted

The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California's (MWD's) Special Committee on Bay-Delta has posted the agenda and recorded video of the January 24 meeting.

PPIC publication, California's Future, includes a chapter on water

The Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC) has recently published *California's Future*. This multi-topic publication highlights the state's most pressing long-term policy challenges in several key areas, including water and the Delta.

Also, the PPIC has posted a series of short videos on eight of the most pressing issues (the Colorado River, the Delta, drought, ecosystems, floods, headwaters, water quality, and water supply) that need to be addressed to put California water management on a sustainable path.

DWR posts online flyers on flood prevention for homeowners

DWR has posted a brief online flyer, titled *Flood Fighting at Home*, that shows how to fill sandbags and layer them. Another brief online flyer, titled *Guide to Living by a Levee*, offers homeowners valuable information on this topic.







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